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## A B S T R A C T

The disposable diaper includes a cover member and a body  
fluid absorbent member attached to an inner side of the cover  
5 member. The absorbent member is composed of a liquid-pervious  
topsheet, a backsheet and an absorbent core disposed  
therebetween. The core is formed on a side of the backsheet  
with a first groove concaved in a direction from the backsheet  
toward the topsheet.